Completing this assignment will require you to read and write about news articles you find online or in a print edition. There are several sites you may visit to find the news articles. It is suggested that you browse through several sites before choosing which article to do your summary on. Articles must be about something that actually happened (no movie reviews, advertisements, etc.), and they must be about something that is nationally or internationally relevant; no local news articles, sports or entertainment! This worksheet must be filled out completely to receive full credit. If you use a print newspaper, you should attach the article you summarize. If you use an online source, you can print out (and attach) the article or include the web address.

You may visit any/all of the following sites to find your article:
CNN    Christian Science Monitor
Fox News   New York Times
Reuters   Washington Times
BBC    Wall Street Journal

Write down the headlines and sites of five (5) articles you considered completing this worksheet on. Circle the headline you choose for completing your summary.

1. Headline: __________________________________________________________
   Site/Newspaper: _____________________________________________________

2. Headline: __________________________________________________________
   Site/Newspaper: _____________________________________________________

3. Headline: __________________________________________________________
   Site/Newspaper: _____________________________________________________

4. Headline: __________________________________________________________
   Site/Newspaper: _____________________________________________________

5. Headline: __________________________________________________________
   Site/Newspaper: _____________________________________________________

Who wrote your article? _________________________________________________

In your opinion, what are the two most important things mentioned in this article?
1. ___________________________________________________________________
2. ___________________________________________________________________

In your opinion, what are the two least important things mentioned in this article?
1. ___________________________________________________________________
2. ___________________________________________________________________

What category of news does this article fall into? (Examples: National, World, Technology, Health, Etc.)

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Why did you choose this article? _________________________________________

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Is there any bias apparent in the article? Support your answer with content from the article.

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